



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Martin L. Hage                      Examiner: A. Johnstone  
Serial No. 09/305,586                      Group Art Unit: 1733  
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Title: TEMPORARY PROTECTIVE LAYER ON POLYMERIC ARTICLES

**COMMUNICATION RE: ISSUE FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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authorization to withdraw \$1,330.00 from Deposit Account No. 50-1391 for the issue  
fee.

Applicant assumes the application is now in proper order and in condition for  
issuance. Please direct any inquiries to the undersigned attorney at (952) 832-9090.


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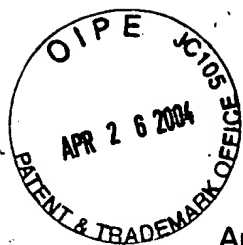
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